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BEFORE THE BOARD OF MILK CONTROL OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS I PRICES

ISSUED IN REFERENCE TO SECTION 13 OF THE RULE 8.86.301

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Due to the latest data available as of October 5, 1995, as applied to the Distributor Formula (Docket #1-90, first price announcement effective 2/01/91) and the Producer Formula (Docket #69-84, first price announcement effective 7/01/84) the Producer Formula Index has been calculated to be 268.47. The Distributor Index has been calculated to be 325.28.

The following prices at the producer, on-the-farm wholesale and retail, institutional, jobber, wholesale, retail and warehouse levels have been determined from the following indexes. On-the-farm prices are applicable to only those producer-distributors whose milk is both produced and sold on-the-farm.

SECTION 1: MINIMUM PRODUCER CLASS I PRICE IN MONTANA

CLASS I PRICE TO BE PAID TO PRODUCERS AND OTHERS, MID-POINT AND DIFFERENTIAL:

EFFECTIVE November 1, 1995, the minimum price to be paid milk producers and others under ARM 8.86.301 will be \$15.23 per hundred pounds of milk testing 3.5% butterfat, f.o.b. the distributor's plant.

When milk does not test 3.5% butterfat, compute the applicable price by applying a differential of nine and one-half cent for each one-tenth of one percent butterfat above or below the midpoint to each producer payment. The value of one pound of butterfat utilized will be ninety five cents (\$0.95).

SECTION 2: DEFINITIONS

WHOLE MILK	- homogenized and/or pasteurized testing at least 3.25%
CHOCOLATE MILK	- testing not less than 3.25%
LOWFAT MILK	- testing not less than .5% nor more than 2%
CHOC LOWFAT MILK	- testing not less than .5% nor more than 2%
BUTTERMILK	- testing 2% or less
SKIM MILK	- testing less than .5%
CHOCOLATE DRINK	- testing less than .5%
HALF & HALF CREAM	- testing at least 10.5%
COMMERCIAL CREAM	- testing at least 18%
WHIPPING CREAM	- testing not less than 30%
SCHOOLS	- elementary and high schools

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SECTION 3 MINIMUM WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN MONTANA:

WHOLE MILK	FULL SERVICE WHOLESALE TO GROCERY STORES	DROP DELIVERY GROCERY STORES (\$150 MINIMUM)	DOCK PICKUP GROCERY STORES (1000 GAL/WEEK)	REGULAR WHOLESALE PRICE	RETAIL PRICE
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.201	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.209	\$0.199	\$0.187	\$0.218	\$0.24
1/3 Quart	\$0.270	\$0.257	\$0.242	\$0.279	\$0.31
Pint	\$0.339	\$0.324	\$0.304	\$0.357	\$0.39
Quart	\$0.661	\$0.631	\$0.593	\$0.692	\$0.76
1/2 Gallon	\$1.314	\$1.253	\$1.178	\$1.369	\$1.51
3 Quart	\$1.966	\$1.876	\$1.763	\$2.052	\$2.26
Gallon	\$2.619	\$2.498	\$2.348	\$2.735	\$3.01

CHOCOLATE MILK

1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.188	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.218	\$0.208	\$0.195	\$0.228	\$0.25
1/3 Quart	\$0.305	\$0.291	\$0.273	\$0.320	\$0.35
Pint	\$0.374	\$0.357	\$0.335	\$0.392	\$0.43
Quart	\$0.713	\$0.681	\$0.640	\$0.742	\$0.82
1/2 Gallon	\$1.392	\$1.328	\$1.248	\$1.459	\$1.60
Gallon	\$2.784	\$2.656	\$2.496	\$2.905	\$3.20

LOWFAT MILK

1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.200	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.209	\$0.199	\$0.187	\$0.217	\$0.24
Pint	\$0.331	\$0.315	\$0.296	\$0.348	\$0.38
Quart	\$0.653	\$0.623	\$0.585	\$0.685	\$0.75
1/2 Gallon	\$1.288	\$1.228	\$1.154	\$1.345	\$1.48
3 Quart	\$1.931	\$1.843	\$1.732	\$2.020	\$2.22
Gallon	\$2.567	\$2.449	\$2.301	\$2.679	\$2.95

CHOCOLATE LOWFAT MILK

1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.209	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.218	\$0.208	\$0.195	\$0.227	\$0.25
Pint	\$0.365	\$0.349	\$0.328	\$0.381	\$0.42
Quart	\$0.705	\$0.672	\$0.632	\$0.736	\$0.81
1/2 Gallon	\$1.375	\$1.311	\$1.232	\$1.435	\$1.58
Gallon	\$2.732	\$2.606	\$2.449	\$2.850	\$3.14

BUTTERMILK

1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.209	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.209	\$0.199	\$0.187	\$0.215	\$0.24
Pint	\$0.331	\$0.315	\$0.296	\$0.345	\$0.38
Quart	\$0.653	\$0.623	\$0.585	\$0.685	\$0.75
1/2 Gallon	\$1.288	\$1.229	\$1.155	\$1.349	\$1.48
Gallon	\$2.575	\$2.457	\$2.309	\$2.692	\$2.96

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	FULL SERVICE WHOLESALE TO GROCERY STORES	DROP DELIVERY GROCERY STORES (\$150 MINIMUM)	DOCK PICKUP GROCERY STORES (1000 GAL/WEEK)	REGULAR WHOLESALE PRICE	RETAIL PRICE
SKIM MILK					
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.205	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.200	\$0.191	\$0.179	\$0.211	\$0.23
Quart	\$0.626	\$0.598	\$0.562	\$0.657	\$0.72
1/2 Gallon	\$1.244	\$1.187	\$1.115	\$1.302	\$1.43
Gallon	\$2.471	\$2.357	\$2.215	\$2.585	\$2.84
CHOCOLATE DRINK					
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.205	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.200	\$0.191	\$0.179	\$0.211	\$0.23
Quart	\$0.679	\$0.647	\$0.608	\$0.707	\$0.78
1/2 Gallon	\$1.322	\$1.262	\$1.186	\$1.380	\$1.52
Gallon	\$2.627	\$2.507	\$2.356	\$2.741	\$3.02
HALF AND HALF CREAM					
Pint	\$0.539	\$0.515	\$0.484	\$0.564	\$0.62
Quart	\$1.061	\$1.013	\$0.952	\$1.110	\$1.22
Gallon		---	---	\$4.562	---
COMMERCIAL CREAM					
Gallon	\$5.733	\$5.470	\$5.140	\$5.994	\$6.59
WHIPPING CREAM					
1/2 Pint	\$0.496	\$0.473	\$0.445	\$0.516	\$0.57
Pint	\$0.992	\$0.946	\$0.889	\$1.032	\$1.14
Quart	\$1.966	\$1.876	\$1.763	\$2.053	\$2.26
1/2 Gallon		---	---	\$4.036	---
Gallon		---	---	\$8.071	---

SECTION 4--PRODUCER-DISTRIBUTOR RETAIL PRICES IN MONTANA:

PRODUCT	RAW 1/2 GALLON	PASTEURIZED 1/2 GALLON	RAW GALLON	PASTEURIZED GALLON
WHOLE MILK	\$0.87	\$0.98	\$1.74	\$1.96
CHOCOLATE MILK	\$0.92	\$1.03	\$1.83	\$2.05
LOWFAT MILK	\$0.84	\$0.95	\$1.68	\$1.90
CHOCOLATE LOWFAT	\$0.89	\$1.00	\$1.76	\$1.98
BUTTERMILK	---	\$0.94	---	\$1.87
SKIM MILK	\$0.79	\$0.90	\$1.58	\$1.80
CHOCOLATE DRINK	\$0.84	\$0.95	\$1.66	\$1.88
COMMERCIAL CREAM	---	---	---	\$4.13

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SECTION 5: MINIMUM PRICE THAT MUST BE CHARGED TO JOBBERS AND/OR INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS BY DISTRIBUTORS AND INSTITUTIONAL BID PRICES IN MONTANA

J O B B E R P R I C E S A T:

WHOLE MILK	<----->				INSTITUTIONAL BID PRICE
	REGULAR WHOLESALE	FULL SERVICE GROCERY STORES	DROP DELIVERY WHOLESALE		
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1477	-----	-----	-----	
1/2 Pint	\$0.1572	\$0.1522	\$0.1466		\$0.2006
1/3 Quart	\$0.2031	\$0.1981	\$0.1908		\$0.2567
Pint	\$0.2704	\$0.2604	\$0.2520		\$0.3284
Quart	\$0.5285	\$0.5113	\$0.4946		\$0.6366
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0488	\$1.0182	\$0.9843		\$1.2595
3 Quart	\$1.5723	\$1.5245	\$1.4745		\$1.8878
Gallon	\$2.0958	\$2.0314	\$1.9641		\$2.5162

CHOCOLATE MILK

1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1405	-----	-----	-----	
1/2 Pint	\$0.1627	\$0.1572	\$0.1516		\$0.2098
1/3 Quart	\$0.2259	\$0.2175	\$0.2097		\$0.2944
Pint	\$0.2899	\$0.2798	\$0.2704		\$0.3606
Quart	\$0.5563	\$0.5402	\$0.5224		\$0.6826
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0988	\$1.0615	\$1.0260		\$1.3423
Gallon	\$2.1904	\$2.1231	\$2.0519		\$2.6726

LOWFAT MILK

1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1447	-----	-----	-----	
1/2 Pint	\$0.1541	\$0.1497	\$0.1441		\$0.1996
Pint	\$0.2604	\$0.2510	\$0.2421		\$0.3202
Quart	\$0.5147	\$0.4969	\$0.4802		\$0.6302
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0155	\$0.9838	\$0.9505		\$1.2374
3 Quart	\$1.5247	\$1.4752	\$1.4263		\$1.8584
Gallon	\$2.0249	\$1.9626	\$1.8970		\$2.4647

CHOCOLATE LOWFAT MILK

1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1497	-----	-----	-----	
1/2 Pint	\$0.1597	\$0.1547	\$0.1491		\$0.2088
Pint	\$0.2788	\$0.2699	\$0.2610		\$0.3505
Quart	\$0.5431	\$0.5258	\$0.5075		\$0.6771
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0656	\$1.0322	\$0.9966		\$1.3202
Gallon	\$2.1200	\$2.0544	\$1.9843		\$2.6220

BUTTERMILK

1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1477	-----	-----	-----	
1/2 Pint	\$0.1510	\$0.1477	\$0.1421		\$0.1978
Pint	\$0.2548	\$0.2470	\$0.2381		\$0.3174
Quart	\$0.5068	\$0.4890	\$0.4723		\$0.6302
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0019	\$0.9680	\$0.9352		\$1.2411
Gallon	\$2.0005	\$1.9355	\$1.8699		\$2.4766

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SKIM MILK	REGULAR WHOLESALE	FULL SERVICE GROCERY STORES	DROP DELIVERY WHOLESALE	INSTITUTIONAL BID PRICE
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1445	-----	-----	-----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1479	\$0.1417	\$0.1367	\$0.1941
Quart	\$0.4874	\$0.4702	\$0.4546	\$0.6044
1/2 Gallon	\$0.9682	\$0.9359	\$0.9042	\$1.1978
Gallon	\$1.9258	\$1.8624	\$1.7990	\$2.3782
CHOCOLATE DRINK				
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1445	-----	-----	-----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1479	\$0.1417	\$0.1367	\$0.1941
Quart	\$0.5152	\$0.4997	\$0.4819	\$0.6504
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0115	\$0.9793	\$0.9459	\$1.2696
Gallon	\$2.0125	\$1.9491	\$1.8824	\$2.5217
HALF AND HALF CREAM				
Pint	\$0.4192	\$0.4053	\$0.3920	\$0.5189
Quart	\$0.8284	\$0.8011	\$0.7744	\$1.0212
Gallon	\$3.3813	-----	-----	\$4.1970
COMMERCIAL CREAM				
Gallon	\$4.4195	\$4.2744	\$4.1282	\$5.5145
WHIPPING CREAM				
1/2 Pint	\$0.3827	\$0.3716	\$0.3588	\$0.4747
Pint	\$0.7655	\$0.7433	\$0.7177	\$0.9494
Quart	\$1.5249	\$1.4765	\$1.4264	\$1.8888
1/2 Gallon	\$3.0108	-----	-----	\$3.7131
Gallon	\$6.0210	-----	-----	\$7.4253

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